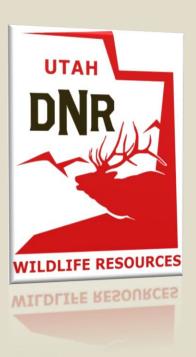
Division of Wildlife Resources



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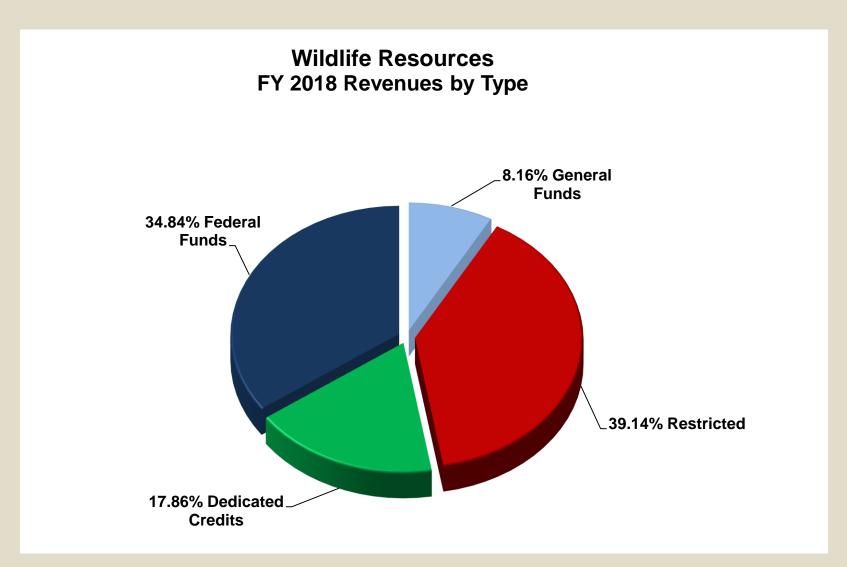
Mission

• To Serve the people of Utah as trustee and guardian of the state's wildlife.

• Hardworking, passionate, dedicated staff.



Wildlife Funding Overview



Opportunity for youth and families



Technology Efficiencies

- Mobile Application 300,000+ downloads.
- Nearly 2,000,000 electronic transactions/year.
- Migration Initiative.
- Electronic Tagging.





Nature Center Completed!



Fishing has never been better!



Winter Conditions

- Getting a nice accumulation of snow so far.
- Wildlife is doing well.
- Let's hope it continues.



Drought and Wildfires

- Ongoing drought threatens range conditions.
- Catastrophic fire risk is high!

Completing crucial fire rehab work.

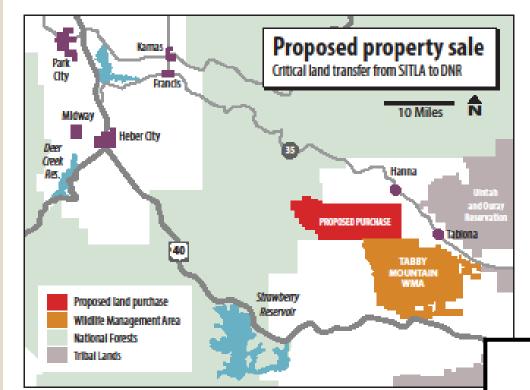
Lack of water in the Great
 Salt Lake will have negative
 impacts on wildlife, and
 our quality of life.



Aquatic Invasive Species

- More interdictions
- More educational contacts
- Budget request: \$405,000 from the General Fund.

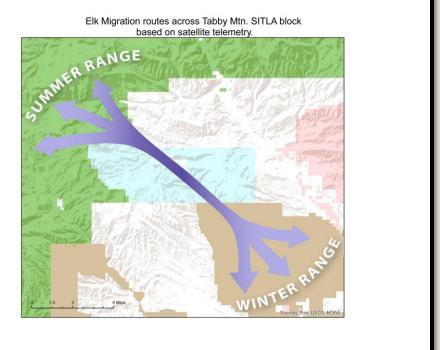




Tabby Mt.

- Opportunity to secure access and conserve wildlife habitat
- Budget request: \$35,000,000

- \$20,000,000 General Fund
- \$10,000,000 Federal Aid (Pittman-Robertson)
- \$3,000,000 Wildlife Restricted
- \$1,000,000 Sportsmen's Groups
- \$1,000,000 Lifetime License Restricted



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Thank You

